IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Yoshitsugu MORITA et al. Confirmation No.: 6909

Serial No.: 10/584,032

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Group Art Unit: 2812

Examiner: Patel, Reema

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF

MANUFACTURING THEREOF

AMENDMENT

Mailstop AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action from the Examiner dated October 15, 2008, please amend the claims as follows and consider the accompanying remarks. A complete listing of all claims pending in the application is included in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.121. This Amendment is timely filed; thus, it is believed that no fees are presently due.

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